













# THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

Vale's Beloit bread is still boss. At Vankirk Bros.

Plush Box Bases for 75 cents to \$5 at Stearns & Baker's.

Attend our special sale of hosiery to-morrow.  
BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Every first class saloon in the city will serve Liston's Hot Beef Tea on Christmas day.

Fresh pork and tenderloin received every Wednesday and Saturday at Kenck & Loeb's corn exchange square.

Holiday green fruits and fresh vegetables at Vankirk Bros.

Remember Liston's Beef Tea at all the saloons Christmas day.

Santa Claus gets his candy at Skinner's for those who know that it's pure.

Fancy Glass Shoppers bottles, filled with perfume, for 10, 20, and 25 cents, at Stearns & Baker's.

FOUND—A silver bracelet of peculiar pattern, near the Merchants & Mechanics bank. Owner can recover it by calling at this office and paying charges.

Saloon keepers will do well to order their stock of Liston's Ext. Beef, as there will be a large call for it on Christmas day.

500 pair sample hose, 50 to 25 cents on a \$1.00 at Bort, Bailey & Co's special hosiery sale to-morrow.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

For a dandy Christmas dinner order your lay-out early at Vankirk Bros.

Lost—Between West Milwaukee St. and Monterey, a silver headed cane. The finder is requested to leave the cane at the Gazette office, and obtain a suitable reward.

Fresh lake and salt water fish every day at Vankirk Bros.

Talks on living subjects. A valuable book for young men. For sale at Sutherland's bookstore.

What is Christmas without candy, nuts and oranges? With this in mind Skinner has laid in an unusually attractive stock.

Mr. H. V. Sykes wishes to dispose of his lively sock, and will sell the entire outfit or a single pair—any way to dispose of it. Enquire at the stable on Bluff street.

Fresh celery and Baltimore oysters each day at Vankirk Bros.

Have you seen the new holiday goods at J. W. Brown's, East Milwaukee St., near Main street. They beat them all.

Christmas candies of all kinds and the choicest of Rountree's chocolates are found at Golling's.

Christmas trees and ornaments at Denniston's.

Read our special hosiery sale ad. in this paper.  
BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Plush Dressing Cases, from \$1.25 to \$18, at Stearns & Baker's.

For Rent—A small comfortable tenement No. 69 South Jackson street. Apply at Dr. Palmer's office.

Our entire stock of hosiery to-morrow at greatly reduced prices.  
BORT, BAILEY & CO.

The Christmas turkey of to-day is the same as in the days of our grandmothers. The only difference is in the roasting. Then it was done in an open oven before the fire place, permitting the obnoxious gases arising therefrom to pass up the chimney, its place being supplied with fresh air. How to produce the same results now: Let get a Badger stove or range; 21, when the oven is properly heated (with air registers closed) put in your bird and open registers for the admission of fresh air, and you have it. For sale at Geo. Griffiths, Milwaukee street and 56 North First street.

For gold pens, ladies' fine stationery, work boxes, writing desks, dressing cases, jewel cases, fancy inkstands, children's games and toys, call at Sutherland's bookstore, east side the river.

Plush Jewel Boxes, and Handkerchiefs and Glove Boxes, way down in prices at Stearns & Baker's.

For Sale—Fresh milch cows at farm of T. C. Sloan.

Don't forget the Christmas candy, choice cigars, Rountree's chocolate, fruit and nuts at Golling's.

Good horses and cutters at reasonable prices at Danwidie & Humphrey's.

Do you want to make your gentleman friend a Christmas present that he will appreciate? If you do, call on J. W. Brown, East Milwaukee St., near Main street.

For good lively turnouts go to Danwidie & Humphrey's.

C. E. Bowles leads in real estate.

WANTED—A good girl to do general housework in a small family. Enquire at 18, Milwaukee avenue.

Fresh fruits at Denniston's.

Call and see gentlemen and boys' holiday slippers and patent leather pumps cheap for cash at G. Cogswell & Co's.

Go to T. J. Zeigler's for boys suits children's suits, business suits and underwear.

Lower than ever before—Read these prices: 16 pounds best granulated sugar, \$1.00; choice coffee, 12¢; best Tyecon tea, 40¢; choice Jap tea, 25¢; choice syrup, 30¢; patent flour, \$1.10; choice family flour, 50¢; headlight oil, 12¢; best kerosene, 10¢; best baking powder, 40¢; good baking powder, 20¢; best potatoes, 60¢; best turnips, 15¢; best pumpkins, 5¢; best radish, \$1.10 per bushel; best bird seed, 6¢; best oysters, 20¢ per bushel; best crackers, 5¢; best plug tobacco, 40¢; choice plug, 25¢; choice smoking, 15¢; corn starch, 5¢; glass starch, 6¢; choice raisins, 5¢; best currants, 5¢; choice mixed and stick nuts, 10¢; mixed nuts, 15¢; best soap, 5¢; good soap 4¢; new size 12½¢; gloves and mittens at cost. All other goods at cost.

W. T. VANKIRK, Cheap cash-grocer, 23 Main St.

# THE DAILY GAZETTE.

Has increased its circulation twenty-five percent during the past year. As an advertising medium it is recognized as reliable and effective.

The WEEKLY GAZETTE is without a rival in the county. The rates of advertising are always based upon circulation. If you have anything to say to the people of the city or county you can speak to more of them through the columns of the GAZETTE than through any other medium published in the same territory.

## Advertisements.

—Polo to-morrow night.  
—The sun has started north again.  
—Will Santa Claus come in on the cut off?

—Grand opening of the rink to-morrow evening.  
—Be sure and get his slippers two sizes too small.

—"A Wall Street Bandit," at the grand opera house this evening.

—Each store keeper seems willing to close on Saturday "if the rest will."

—The Broadway polo team will play the Riversides at the rink to-morrow night.

—Mrs. Carrie Hatch, of Edgerton, is spending the holidays with Rev. T. Walker and family.

—Preparations for the entertainment at Court Street M. E. church are being pushed forward rapidly.

—There will be the annual election of officers at the meeting of the National Union this evening.

—The young people that have been away attending schools are now at home making ready to receive St. Nicholas.

—Bower City band and polo at the rink to-morrow night. Skating from 7 to 9. Game called 9 o'clock sharp.

—Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.

—Uncle Sammie's employees in the Janesville postoffice are now guarded from pneumonia by walnut shutters on the delivery windows.

—Badger Council No. 223, Royal Arcanum, assemblies in regular semi-monthly session this evening—lodge room in Lappin block, East Milwaukee street.

—Dr. Vance will make his next regular fortnightly visit to Janesville December 31st, stopping at the Myers house. The doctor devotes his attention to Uterine and Rectal Diseases.

—The Gazette is under obligations to the Standard Paper Company of Milwaukee, for an elegant sample book of New Year's cards. Parties in want of New Year's cards will be interested in looking them over. Orders filled on short notice.

—Our county board committee on tramps and its terrifying resolutions about crackers and east wind must have frightened the strollers out of their wits. The jail has been very free from them this winter.

—S. B. Hedges, of the firm of Baines & Hedges, will probably return to-morrow from a business trip to Oshkosh and other tobacco markets. He has met with good success in disposing of his leaf, having received very fair prices.

—The Chicago and Northwestern railway company is now running a through freight from Council Bluffs via Janesville to Milwaukee. This train leaves Janesville for Milwaukee at 6 o'clock in the morning, returning at 4 o'clock each morning.

—The little Tot in a Wall Street Bandit, who never was kissed in her whole life, is too cute for anything. To bear a child of her size and age give so excellent a rendition of a part is a treat indeed. The little one seems to feel all she says.

—Seth M. Crane whose singing in "The Messiah" with Fay Tompkins made such a hit, is in the city and will sing at the Choral Union concert this evening. None that have heard him will fail to hear him again. His work without any thing else would make any concert a pronounced success.

—At Milton this morning, Mr. Will Davis, the East Milwaukee street livery man, was united in marriage to Miss Anna Goodrich, daughter of Mr. Ezra Goodrich, of that village. Both parties have many friends here, and many good wishes will follow them as they begin married life.

—Telegraph messages to western points are now considerably cheaper than they have been. Day dispatches to Colorado or Wyoming are now one dollar for the first ten words and seven cents for each additional word, while at night the rate is seventy-five cents for the first ten and five cents for each additional one.

—The Caledonian society intend to watch the old year out and the New Year in next week. They will hold a private dancing party at the G. A. R. hall on Saturday night. Preparations are also being made for the celebration of Burns' Anniversary and it is whispered that well known musical talent from abroad will be present.

—Sheriff Hawthorn to-day telegraphed the Whitewater authorities to arrest James O'Neil, the young man who assaulted John Kelly, a farmer, last Monday. O'Neil was caught just as he was stepping from the train and will be brought back to-night. His victim, a rather elderly man, was badly used up being out and bruised by the blows of a heavy money wrench.

—Mr. W. A. Mayhew, of Clinton, is a candidate for the position of sergeant-at-arms of the assembly, and among those who have strongly endorsed him for the place are many well known business men and farmers of Rock county. Mr. Mayhew is abundantly capable of filling the position he seeks, and the Gazette hopes that circumstances will so favor him, as to cause his lines to fall in the right place. There is no one whose name is mentioned in connection with the office of sergeant-at-arms who is better qualified for the position than Mr. Mayhew.

—Miss Mattie Habbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hubbell, of the town of Janesville, received this morning by express, a box of Christmas presents from Denver Colorado, which she will cherish for many years on account of their rare beauty and value. The box

# ITS SECOND PERFORMANCE.

The "Wall Street Bandit" repeated last evening, and to the popular request to-night by popular request.

The second performance of "A Wall Street Bandit," at the opera house last night, attracted an audience fully as appreciative as the one of the night before. If anything, the great play was given with more evenness and flow than the case with the previous presentation, on which occasion there were the usual obstacles of a first night in a new house. The scenes between Mr. Lawrence and Miss Allen were repeated with the brilliancy of those artists, and the realistic Shepherd's Tale scene met with renewed applause and tears.

We have already pronounced the "Wall Street Bandit" one of the strongest and most refined dramatic compositions that has ever been seen here. There is nothing of the blood and thunder, the ill-fitting title suggests in the "Wall Street Bandit." Mr. Gaunter, the author, has done for the upper classes what Messrs. Potbury and Sims have done for the lower in the way of melodrama. The "bandit" of this play is simply a rascally Wall Street financier who has not hesitated to wrong a pair of tiny orphans, who suffer in consequence, but whose retribution overtakes the "bandit."

It was with marked pleasure that the audience last night, informed from the stage that the engagement of the company had been extended another night—to this Wednesday evening—when the "Wall Street Bandit" will be repeated.

In this connection it is interesting to note that Mr. Lawrence's former appearance here was as Mary Anderson's leading man. As for Miss Allen she can be very pleasantly recalled as the "Democrat" of the Madison Square company that appeared here. Her father, Mr. Leslie Allen, who is with the "Wall Street Bandit" was the "Old Rogers" of the same company. Last year Miss Allen supported the great tragedian Salvini, prior to that he had been the lamented McCullough's leading feature.

It is no wonder then that the cast of the "Wall Street Bandit" has made such a singular impression.

Sudden Death of Postmaster John A. Spaulding.

Mr. John A. Spaulding, postmaster at Milton, died on Monday at six o'clock this morning, of apoplexy. Mr. Spaulding was an old resident of Rock county; he had been in feeble health for some time, but was able to attend to business and was about the office as usual yesterday. His wife, on waking this morning, found him lying on the floor in an "apoplexy" condition. A physician was "speedily" summoned, but he was past help, and died almost immediately.

Lung troubles are speedily relieved and cured by the use of "Pomeroy's Electrolytic Plaster." Practice & Evenson, opposite postoffice.

Mr. David Watt has assumed the management of the Riverside rink and the building will be formally opened Thursday evening with a grand polo game by the Broadhead and Janesville teams. The rink will be used for roller skates instead of ice, as announced some days ago.

It is said that a great many Englishmen are visiting this country this season. I asked John what they came for. He said he supposed they came to see the "millionaire" who had just passed out of their money, who talk the language of the "millionaire" and to lay in a supply of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

"The greatest cure on earth for pain, is Salvation Oil; take up the strain."

Don't fail to look at the holiday display at Practice & Evenson's.

The Masons.

At the annual meeting of Western Star Lodge No. 14, A. F. & A. M., held at Masonic hall last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, the installation to take place on the first Tuesday in January:

W. M.—A. S. Lee.  
S. W.—V. P. Richardson.  
J. W.—C. A. Palmer.  
Treasurer—J. L. Crut.  
Secretary—J. C. Metcalf.  
Trustees—G. G. Sutherland.  
The annual meeting of Janesville Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, will be held on to-morrow evening, at which time officers will be elected for the ensuing year. Delegations of Sir Knights from Footville, Broadhead, Albion, Evansville, Monroe and other points are expected to be in attendance.

To the Town.

With Pomeroy's Electrolytic Plaster after office.

Practice & Evenson opposite postoffice.

Exercise.

Geo. Thurman, of Albany, is buying a good many horses in this section of the county.

The several church societies are busy getting up entertainments for Christmas. The M. E. have their entertainment at Wood & Kendall's hall Friday night.

News reached this place Tuesday morning that Mrs. John Froitz had died at Minneapolis, Minn. Monday night.

J. D. Holmes, of Janesville, is canvassing in this place for members for the National Library Association of Chicago.

One case of coal was received at the store with rice from Kansas.

The Janesville accommodation on the cut off leaves this place at 10:15 a. m. and returning arrives here at 4:25 p. m.

Dorton Mills returned home from Washington, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other eastern cities Monday night.

Elmer Bullard is shipping a considerable amount of stock from this place to St. Louis.

Miss Cora Hunt who has been teaching in a kindergarten school in Milwaukee, returned home Saturday afternoon to spend the holidays.

We hear that the W. R. C. are having some difficulty with the press, and that they are offering at their fair held at the G. A. R. hall.

Union Lodge No. 32, F. & A. M., held their annual election of officers on Monday evening with the following results:

W. M.—J. W. Knepper, J. W. R. F. Woodbury, treasurer; James Ludwig, secretary.

David Van Wort shipped a car of logs to Chicago Tuesday night.

Supt. C. A. Sutherland, assistant Superintendent, and others look a little out of the out of last Tuesday by special train.

The black eagle of cyphus shall spread his wings to-morrow; the "Cyphus" shall clear the dust; Black eagles are surely o'er.

# GRAND RECEPTION.

Given to a Large Party of Friends by Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy last evening.

Memories of the old time Christmas festivities were called to the minds of those who shared the "stated" hospitality of State Senator and Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy at their home on the brow of the hill in South First street last evening. The exterior of the house, visible from every part of the city, looked like a fairy place suspended in mid air as the brilliant lights streamed from its many windows. Within the scene was no less beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy had asked about two hundred of their friends and acquaintances to take tea and spend a social evening with them.

About one hundred and fifty responded. With true and wise hospitality, invitations were extended to families, and it was most delightful to see fathers and mothers, with their sons and daughters, all assembled at the hour of six to participate in the entertainment prepared for them. The guests were ushered at once into the elegant apartments used as dressing rooms, on the second floor, where they descended to receive the cordial welcome of the genial host and graceful hostess, who stood in the reception room, opposite the drawing room.

The entire spacious house was devoted to the pleasure of the guests. These found abundant entertainment in conversation, in examining the pictures and other works of art beautifying this home and in the enjoyment of the lovely flowers which adorned every available niche and filled every vase. At seven o'clock tea was served in the third story. The picture made by the company as they slowly ascended the winding stair was brilliant in the extreme, and as it remains in the memory, certainly belongs to the impressment of a host of art. Out of the mass of rich color appeared elderly ladies in black velvet and lace, adorned with silver and just looking sweet and dignified with their white crowned heads. Young matrons in black silk and brighter colors with less repose and buoyant manners, and here and there among all, like a protuberance of humming-birds, butterflies, or some other lovely, dainty thing, were young maidens with bright, expectant faces, eager manners and delicate plumage. The day of vivid and intense colors seems passing away, and the effect of the low gown of lavender, white, pink and pearl-colored silk or satin, set off by a few costumes of black lace and black and yellow, was lovely and satisfying. Many wore flowers, and places were in a few graceful shades; short dresses were conspicuous by their absence, and the long trains, and last dressed high on the head, rarely gave dignity and grace to the wearers.

Distinguished citizens whose gray hairs and grave faces indicate minds long devoted to weighty affairs were here with an air of genial staidness, showing no reluctance to exchange these deep cogitations for this feast of reason and flow of soul, nor was their severity of young men supporting sedately the responsibilities of evening dress. In the upper room social ability was promoted by serving the refreshments at small tables scattered through the rooms. At nine o'clock the band entered and these same rooms were a large with polished wood floor, were devoted to dancing. In one room a table was spread with light refreshments for the dancers. Card tables were set in a pleasant room on the second floor and in cozy corners of the parlors. The guests were royally entertained until a late hour and the party will be remembered as one of the most brilliant ever given in the city.

Experience of an ex-convict.

Athletes and men who take ordinary outdoor exercise such as walking, running, bicycling, jumping, swimming, tennis, etc., are often the objects of acute troubles. The experience of an ex-convict who walked will be of interest to all who take the following list:

1. Read the following letter: No. 321 East 13th St., New York, April 2, 1886.

Numerous statements relative to the merits of different plaster have been brought to my attention. I have used Allcock's Porous Plaster for over 20 years and prefer them to any other kind. I would furthermore state that I was very sick with catarrh of the kidneys, and attribute my recovery entirely to Allcock's Porous Plaster.

HARRY BROOKS.

Field.

C. D. Serl ships another car load of cattle to Chicago this week.

Theron Dutter is attending school at Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Waterman have gone to Chicago to see the winter.

We are glad to note the continued improvement of Mrs. Calvin Serl. Her mother, Mrs. Waterman has been spending a few days with her.

Charles Sprague is the man to furnish you with a new well cut coat, he has already made several car loads, and is still taking orders for more, his prices are very low.

Serl and Son continue to make bottom prices on all kinds of groceries and winter sale.

At Barlow's, our town treasurer will be at this place on Thursday, the 28th to receive any surplus change which our prosperous farmers may be burdened with.

We hear that a branch society of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was organized at Bradford Center recently. It is also proposed to establish a Sabbath school at the same place. We hope the enterprise will meet with our commendation and prove a success.

We regret the departure of Miss Mattie Habbell from our midst. She leaves a many warm and true friends.

Mr. John Dykeman has been spending a few weeks in Iowa and Minnesota visiting friends.

Mr. Daniel Williams is enjoying the comfort of a fine well cut coat.

While we like to see people useful as well as ornamental, it does not seem to see industry expended in sowing seeds of discord among neighbors. A little bridling of the tongue has saved many a slender suit.

Notwithstanding the very rough sort of late, our rental carter, Mr. Shoups, cannot get the time and is as pleasant and accommodating as ever.

THE GAZETTE IS ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST INTERESTING PUBLICATIONS IN THE WEST. SUBSCRIPTION PRICE IS ONLY 12 CENTS A WEEK. DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

# A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. J. T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

# TOBACCO.

What Has Been Done Here and Elsewhere.

Waiting for the Hiseock Law—Other Items.

WISCONSIN.

JANESVILLE.—Both dealers and farmers are now waiting anxiously for the Hiseock Sumatra bill to be taken up. There is a probability that this bill will be the first Monday in January, and when tobacco growers wish each other a happy New Year they will include the bill in their wish and give it a prominent place besides.

The market has been slow. Sales of '87 are all of a retail nature just now, and '88 has not yet begun to move. Baines & Hedges have bought one car of fillers from Deerfield, paying 1½ cents for it and have sold some for two cents, this being of unusually good quality tobacco.

From all of our correspondents comes the report that a large part of this year's crop is down and seems to be of very fine texture and color. Of this, however, nothing positive can be said until the last has come from the west.

Economist. Eastern dealers have been riding here lately but no sales have been reported. Everybody is expecting because the cold storage warehouse is to be located in this city. It is estimated that over three-fourths of the crop is down from the poles, and stripping is going on rapidly.

NEW YORK CITY.

The market in general was as dull as could be expected at this time of the year. The few remaining days of the year will in all probability see the close of the season. The total sales of the year hardly reached 1,500 cases, mostly '85 New York State, Wisconsin and Connecticut. Pennsylvania being annually much neglected. The same was true of the market in general. Stocks in general were dull and heavy. Tobacco was small.—United States Tobacco Journal.

NEW YORK.

Inactivity still prevails in our market. Even sales of the 1887 crop have ceased. Probably dealers will do nothing more now until after the first of January. We hope at that time to see the market for our 1888 crop opened.—Baltimore American.

CONNECTICUT VALLEY TOBACCO MARKET.

Another damp time suitable for taking tobacco from the poles has now prevailed, and those growers who have not yet taken their crop before now have the desired opportunity. Some few farmers are awaiting their crops, but the majority of the growers are waiting to sell in the bundle, or to assort later in the season.—American Cultivator.

ALBANY.

Mr. B. J. McKee made quick time in completing his store building since the fire. It is now on deck in the quarters with a clean stock of confectionery and fancy groceries in connection with well appointed restaurant.

It will not be the house that Jack built, but a home especially adapted for Santa Claus to be erected in the M. E. church for the occasion of Christmas. It will be built large enough to contain all the valuable presents and numberless other presents of minor importance, but none the less precious in the eyes of the little ones.

Mr. A. W. Hastings, the gentlemanly representative of the Janesville Gazette, indulged in a business trip to Albany on Wednesday last. Your correspondent was forced with a truly pleasant visit. He showed a rare book, "The Family Physician," which he sold on subscription only at \$3. This valuable work is now being sent out by the thousands to the readers of the Gazette, \$1.25 and 25¢ per copy. The subscription price is \$1.25. This valuable acquisition to the family library and the mammoth weekly, which has no superior in the west. Now is the time to subscribe with the beginning of the year.

And with the change of marriage bells, kindly send our best wishes to the bride.

Thursday evening last was a special occasion for rejoicing at the home of Mr. Volney Morton, who resides on the Milwaukee farm west of this place. Mr. Morton has been extended to only a few tables, but every detail of the arrangements had been managed so skillfully that only the knowing ones were aware of the situation of affairs. Mr. Will Brown and Miss Jennie Dodge, of Albany, were the guests of honor. Mr. Morton, who is a physician, is pronounced to have taken place at a late date. The bride is the daughter of Mr. John Lemmel, county clerk, and for many years a resident of this place.

The Albany Progressive Institute, at its next session, Dec. 20, will consider the question: Resolved—That the intemperance use of alcoholic drinks is productive of more crime and misery than all other evils combined.

Before before was our village so well represented with the lines of holiday goods, as are displayed at all the stores. Our merchants must be anticipating a business boom. Geo. W. Bartlett, druggist, usually taking the lead in this line, has just put in a large stock, than usual and increased his clerking force. Little & Benkert, general store, have this season added new attractions and present an elaborate display of reasonable goods suited to the wants of the most fastidious. Everett & Co. carry about their usual stock.

Rev. Olympia Brown, of Racine, Wis., delivered a very entertaining lecture on Woman's Suffrage at 11½ was held on Thursday evening last. The hall was well filled with an equal representation of both sexes. The speaker gave a history of the time, progress and underlying causes of all the great reforms, dwelt upon the downward path of the world and set it out in pleasing contrast with the liberty of the new, and traces the liberty of the people of our day and generation to the goodly inheritance of the ballot in the hands of the patriotic and liberty loving citizen. The great struggle which was the price of liberty. If we relax our vigilance for a moment or we lose, that very moment liberty is in danger in the hands of the tyrants. The right of franchise in this country is a sacred trust, and it is upon the downy trodden and oppressed—upon the poor, and the offshoots of Europe, but woman must first be